



# COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

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March 23, 2010

The Honorable Board of Supervisors  
County of Los Angeles  
383 Kenneth Hahn Hall of Administration  
500 W. Temple Street  
Los Angeles, CA 90012

Dear Supervisors:

### 2010 BRUSH CLEARANCE REFEREE'S HEARING REPORT

As authorized by the Los Angeles County Fire Code and approved by your Board on January 19, 2010, public hearings were conducted by the Assistant Chief, Brush Clearance Section, County of Los Angeles Fire Department, acting as Referee, to receive protests against the County of Los Angeles Fire Department's 2010 order to abate hazardous brush, dry grass, weeds, combustible growth or flammable vegetation, to include native and ornamental vegetation, on improved parcels in Los Angeles County. As stated in the legal notice sent to each owner of record, the hearings were held at 9:30 A.M., in the offices of the Department of Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures, at 12300 Lower Azusa Road, Arcadia, California, on February 24, 2010; and at 335 A East Avenue K-6, Lancaster, California, on February 25, 2010.

Eleven improved property owners attended the public hearings. During the hearings the property owners received individual consultation from Fire Department personnel. Appropriate action was taken as necessary to address their inquiries. We are not aware of any individual that wishes to present objections to your Board at this time.

SERVING THE UNINCORPORATED AREAS OF LOS ANGELES COUNTY AND THE CITIES OF:

AGOURA HILLS  
ARTESIA  
AZUSA  
BALDWIN PARK  
BELL  
BELL GARDENS  
BELLFLOWER  
BRADBURY

CALABASAS  
CARSON  
CERRITOS  
CLAREMONT  
COMMERCE  
COVINA  
CUDAHY

DIAMOND BAR  
DUARTE  
EL MONTE  
GARDENA  
GLENDALE  
HAWAIIAN GARDENS  
HAWTHORNE

HIDDEN HILLS  
HUNTINGTON PARK  
INDUSTRY  
INGLEWOOD  
IRVINDALE  
LA CANADA FLINTRIDGE  
LA HABRA

LA MIRADA  
LA PUENTE  
LAKEWOOD  
LANCASTER  
LAWNDALE  
LOMITA  
LYNWOOD

MALIBU  
MAYWOOD  
NORWALK  
PALMDALE  
PALOS VERDES ESTATES  
PARAMOUNT  
PICO RIVERA

POMONA  
RANCHO PALOS VERDES  
ROLLING HILLS  
ROLLING HILLS ESTATES  
ROSEMEAD  
SAN DIMAS  
SANTA CLARITA

SIGNAL HILL  
SOUTH EL MONTE  
SOUTH GATE  
TEMPLE CITY  
WALNUT  
WEST HOLLYWOOD  
WESTLAKE VILLAGE  
WHITTIER

**The Honorable Board of Supervisors**

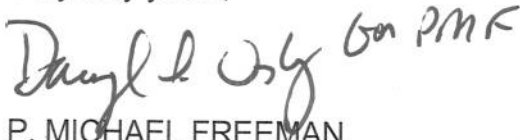
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IT IS THEREFORE RECOMMENDED THAT YOUR BOARD:

1. Accept this hearing report.
2. Order the County of Los Angeles Fire Department to enforce the removal of hazardous brush, dry grass, weeds, combustible growth or flammable vegetation, to include native and ornamental vegetation, on improved parcels in Los Angeles County.

Very truly yours,

 *Don PMF*

P. MICHAEL FREEMAN

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Attachment

c: Chief Executive Officer  
County Counsel  
Agricultural Commissioner/Weights and Measures